

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 1715  
PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 02886.0092-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Motoki HIRAOKA et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1715
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Application No.: 10/530,516	)	Examiner: Katherine A. Bareford
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Filed: October 5, 2005	)	
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For: PRETREATMENT METHOD FOR	)	Confirmation No.: 5346
ELECTROLESS PLATING	)	
MATERIAL AND METHOD FOR	)	
PRODUCING MEMBER HAVING	)	
PLATED COATING	)	

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Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the final Office Action mailed August 2, 2010, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims on pages 2-5 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section beginning on page 6 of this paper.